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BEFORE THE VIRGINIA GAS AND OIL BOARD

SUPPLEMENTAL ORDER REGARDING ELECTIONS, UNIT: Q-35 (herein "Subject Drilling Unit")

DOCKET NUMBER VGOB-91/05/21-0120

## REPORT OF BOARD

# FINDINGS AND ORDER

This Supplemental Order is entered by the Board sua sponte in the form authorized by the Board at its hearing held at 9:00 a.m. on October 20, 1992, Board of Supervisors Room, Courthouse, Grundy, Virginia, and pursuant to authority granted to the Board's Chairman at the hearing of the Virginia Gas and Oil Board on June 16, 1992 at 9:00 a.m. at the Rhododendron Restaurant at the Breaks Interstate Park, Breaks, Virginia; and this Supplemental Order is being recorded for the purpose of (1) complying with the requirements of 8 7.c of the Virginia Gas and Oil Board Regulations, VR 480-05-22.2 by supplementing the Order previously issued by the Board for the subject Docket on July 19, 1991 and recorded at Deed Book 377, Page 449 in the Office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court, Buchanan County, Virginia on July 19, 1991 (herein "Board Order") to complete the record regarding elections. The Board Order pooled all interests in Subject Drilling Unit including those of the Respondents more particularly set forth and identified by the Designated Operator in the affidavits attached hereto and made a part hereof. The Board finds it has jurisdiction over the subject matter pursuant to the provisions of the Virginia Gas and Oil Act, 8 45.1-361.1 et seq., Virginia Code, 1950 as amended.

# 2. Findings: The Board finds that:

- (a) The Board Order directed Oxy USA, Inc. (herein the "Designated Operator"), to mail copies of the Board Order to all Respondents whose interests, if any, were pooled by said Board Order;
- (b) The Designated Operator filed its affidavit of mailing dated April 30, 1993 disclosing that it had mailed a true and correct copy of the Board's Order to all Respondents whose interests, if any, were pooled by said Board Order;
- (c) The Board Order required each Respondent whose interests, if any, were pooled by the terms of said Board Order to make his or her election within thirty (30) days after the date of mailing or recording, as applicable, of said Order; the Designated Operator has filed its affidavit dated October 8, 1993 in accordance with 7.c of the Virginia Gas and Oil Board Regulations and VR 480-05-22.2 (herein "Affidavit of Election"), wherein it has, for each Respondent whose interests, if any, were pooled by said Board Order, stated: (i) whether each Respondent has made or failed to make a timely election; (ii) the nature of the election made, if any; (iii)

whether, by reason of a failure to elect or to timely elect one or more Respondents are deemed, under the terms of the Board's Order, to have leased all their rights, title, interests, estates and claims in Subject Drilling Unit to the Designated Operator;

- (d) The Board Order further required the Designated Operator, after expiration of the election period, to file with the Board a statement of the interests subject to escrow under the terms and provisions of the Board Order, in light of the elections made or deemed to have been made (herein "Statement of Interests"); that the Designated Operator furnished said Statement of Interest as part of its Affidavit of Election. A copy of which is attached.
- (e) Current Board standards requiring the escrow of funds and the Board's agreement with its Escrow Agent, Tazewell National Bank, P. O. Box 909, Tazewell, Virginia 24651, or any successor named by the Board, require the entry of a Supplemental Order establishing of record the elections made or deemed to have been made and specifying the sums or percentage thereof subject to escrow.
- 3. Order: By this Order, the Board orders the Designated Operator to tender, consistent with and in accordance with the findings set forth at paragraph 2. above and the annexed Affidavits, any funds subject to escrow and instructs the Escrow Agent, Tazewell National Bank, P. O. Box 909, Tazewell, Virginia 24651, or any successor named by the Board to establish interest-bearing escrow account(s), IRS Tax Identification Number 54-1629506, in accordance with the information set forth in said Affidavits to receive such funds and account to the Board therefore.
- 4. Mailing of Order and Filing of Affidavit: The Designated Operator under the captioned order or its Attorney shall file an affidavit with the Secretary of the Board within ten (10) days after the date of receipt of this Order stating that a true and correct copy of this Order was mailed within seven (7) days from the date of receipt of this Order to each person whose interest or claim is subject to escrow and whose address is known.
- 5. <u>Conclusion</u>: Therefore, the findings and all terms and provisions set forth above be and hereby are granted and IT IS SO ORDERED.
- 6. Effective Date: This Order shall be effective on the date of its execution.

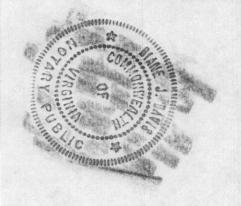
DONE AND EXECUTED this 3rd day of farm 1998, by a majority of the Virginia Gas and Oil Board.

Chairman Benny R. Wampler

STATE OF VIRGINIA)
COUNTY OF WISE )

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	Notary Public
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	Byron Thomas Fulmer
	Principal Executive to the Staff
	Virginia Gas and Oil Board
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Virginia, appeared Byron Thomas Ful	lmer, being duly sworn did depose and say
	the staff of the Virginia Gas and Oil
Board, that he executed the same and	d was authorized to do so.
	Diane Glavas
	Diane J. Davis
	Notary Public

My commission expires 9/30/97



VIRGINIA:

### Exhibit A

#### BEFORE THE VIRGINIA GAS AND OIL BOARD

IN RE:

Application of Consol, Inc. for Forced Pooling of Interests in Unit Number Q-35, VGOB Docket No. 0521-120 in the Garden District of Buchanan County, Virginia

AFFIDAVIT OF CONSOL, INC. (herein "Designated Operator") REGARDING ELECTIONS, ESCROW AND SUPPLEMENTAL ORDER

Leslie K. Arrington, (herein Affiant), being first duly sworn on oath, deposes and says:

- 1. That your Affiant is employed by Consol, Inc., the Designated Operator, at its office located at P.O. Box 947 Bluefield, Virginia 24605, that your Affiant is the Designated Operator's Permit Specialist, and is authorized for give this Affidavit in its behalf;
- That the Order entered on July 19, 1991, by the Virginia Gas and Oil Board regarding the
  captioned CBM Unit required the Applicant to mail a true and correct copy of said Order to
  person pooled by said Order;
- 3. That within seven (7) days of the receipt of an executed copy of the Order referred to at Paragraph 2. above, your Affiant caused a true and correct copy of said Order to be mailed via the United States Postal Service to each Respondent named in the captioned Application, whose address was known, and to all persons, if any, who were added as Respondents at the hearing held in the captioned matter; that annexed hereto and incorporated herein are copies of the letters of transmittal, receipts for certified mail, and return receipts pertaining to said mailing;
- 4. That the Order of the Virginia Gas and Oil Board in the captioned matter required all persons pooled thereby to tender their written elections to the Unit Operator within thirty (30) days of the date said Order was recorded in the county above named; that said Order was recorded on July 19, 1991.
- That the Designated Operator, Consol, Inc., has established procedures to review all mail received and all written documents received by means other than by mail to ascertain whether parties whose interests have been pooled have made a written election, in a timely fashion, as required by the captioned Order; that said procedures were followed to identify the elections, if any, made with regard to Subject Unit; that the following persons delivered, by mail or otherwise, written elections to the Unit Operator, within the thirty day election period:

#### Election

Ashland Exploration Inc. -P.O. Box 391 Ashland, Kentucky 41114 Paragraph 2(B) Carried Interest

6. That the interests and/or claims of the following persons (who made timely elections, or who are deemed under the terms of the Board's Order to have leased, or who, subsequent to the pooling hearing held in the captioned matter, have leased or otherwise entered into an agreement with the Designated Operator) are subject to escrow under the Board's Order pooling the captioned Unit, Board Regulations and the Code of Virginia;

## Tract J.H. Franks

Reserve Coal Properties Co.

c/o Consolidation Coal Co.

Consol Plaza

1600 Washington Road

Pittsburgh, PA

Edwards & Harding Petroleum Co.

 $7/8 \times 1.00/80 = 1.09375\%$ 

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P.O. Box 2404

Abingdon, VA 24210

Ronald A. Clyborne, et ux

 $1/8 \times 1.00/80 = 0.15625\%$ 

11201 Whitcomb Pl.

Woodway, WA 98020-7212

Tract No. A. Stickley

Ashland Exploration, Inc.

Carried Interest

P.O. Box 391

Ashland, KY 41114

7. That after the pooling hearing held in the captioned matter, the following persons have leased or entered into a voluntary agreement with the Designated Operator with regard to their interests and/or claims which are not subject to escrow and should, therefore, be dismissed as Respondents:

James W. Harman, Jr., Esq.

not an owner - by court order

P.O. Box 88

Tazewell, VA 24651

J.C. Franks

 $1/8 \times 1.00/80 = 0.15625\%$ 

621 Peavler Street

Marion, VA 24354

Estil Franks, Estate

 $1/8 \times 1.00/80 = 0.15625\%$ 

c/o Bessie Franks

411 South 10th Street

Livingston, Montana 59074

Garrett K. Franks

 $1/8 \times 1.00/80 = 0.15625\%$ 

P.O. Box 3054

Center Line, Michigan 48015

Ruth F. Officer

 $1/8 \times 1.00/80 = 0.15625\%$ 

1472 Magellan Circle

Berryville, VA 22611

 $1/8 \times 1.00/80 = 0.15625\%$ 

Harvey H. Franks Rt. 1, Box 2437 Berryville, VA 22611

Dorothy Casteel	1/8 X 1.00/80 = 0.15625 %
Rt. 3, Box 175	
Pikeville, TN 37367	
Carl F. Metcalf	1/8 X 1.00/80 = 0.15625 %
1115 Smith Street	
Bedford, VA 24523	
Clell W. Metcalf	$1/8 \times 1.00/80 = 0.15625\%$
Box 224	
Loyall, KY 40854	
Evelyn Wright	$1/8 \times 1.00/80 = 0.15625\%$
RR 1, Box 490	
Coeburn, VA 24230	
Charles R. Arthur	$1/8 \times 1.00/80 = 0.15625\%$
1214 Oakwood Street	
Bedford, VA 24523	
T. J. Bondurant	$1/8 \times 1.00/80 = 0.15625\%$
Box 758	
Lebanon, VA 24266	
G. R. C. Stuart	$1/8 \times 1.00/80 = 0.15625\%$
(d.b.a. Intermont Land Company)	
The Bank	
Main Street	
Abingdon, VA 24210	
William W. Eskridge	$1/8 \times 1.00/80 = 0.15625\%$
(d.b.a. Intermont Land Company)	
Westwood Estates	
Abingdon, VA 24210	
James P. Jones	$1/8 \times 1.00/80 = 0.15625\%$
(d.b.a. Intermont Land Company)	
107 Hillside Drive	
Abingdon, VA 24210	
John H. Hemmings	$1/8 \times 1.00/80 = 0.15625\%$
(d.b.a. Intermont Land Company)	
Crestview Drive	
Abingdon, VA 24210	
Stephen M. Hodges	$1/8 \times 1.00/80 = 0.15625\%$
(s.b.a. Intermont Land Company)	
237 Mason Place	
Abingdon, VA 24210	

Linda S	chrack, individually
and Co	Exectruix of the Estate
of Nerr	nal Whited
1180 W	est Cook Road
Mansfie	ld, OH 44906

1/8 X 1.00/80 = 0.15625 %

M. Sue	Snyder, individually
and as	Co-Exectrix of the Estate
of Nern	nal Whited
7 Tenn.	Ave.
St. Clou	id, FL 37469

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Laura L.	Galv	an
4935 Can	npbel	l Ave.
San Jose,	CA	95130

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Matti J.	Schmidt		
2019 Be	ntwood	Drive	
Champa	ign, IL	61821	

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Robert T. Whited
Rt. 2, 13951 Bell Road
Wisconsin Rapids, WI 54494

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Earl May	1	
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Billings,	MT	59102

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Freda M	eister	
2111 Pue	blo l	Drive
Billings,	MT	59102

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Wanda Rose Box 7222 Wise, VA 24293 1/8 X 1.00/80 = 0.15625%

Mona Wicks 2810 Lyndale Billings, MT 59102 1/8 X 1.00/80 = 0.15625%

8. That pursuant to the provisions of VR 480-05-22.27.C and VR 480-05-22.2.8, annexed hereto and incorporated herein is a proposed supplemental order to be entered to complete the record regarding elections; that said annexed supplemental order sets forth and identifies the conflicting claims and/or interests which require escrow of funds pursuant to the terms of §§ 45.1-361.21.D, 45.1-361.22.A.3 and 4.;

Dated at Bluefield, Virginia, this	l, Inc.,
My commission expires: 12-31-95 Websel 6. Whomas Notary	-
VIRGINIA: In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Buchanan County. The foregoing was this day presented in the office aforesaid and is, together with the certificate of acknowledgment admitted to record this day of January 19 94 12.38 Deed Book No. 417 and Page No. 341. TESTE:	annexed,
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DIVISION OF GAS & OIL
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ABINGDON, VIRGINIA 24210